ORDINANCE NO. 2009-48

AN ORDINANCE, of the City of Wenatchee authorizing an increase in the regular property tax levy to be collected in the 2010 tax year.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Wenatchee has met and considered its budget for the calendar year 2010; and

WHEREAS, the City's actual levy amount from the previous year was \$5,380,695.00; and

WHEREAS, the City's highest lawful levy amount was \$5,274,370.00; and WHEREAS, the population of the City is more than 10,000.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WENATCHEE, DO ORDAIN that a decrease in the regular property tax levy is hereby authorized for the levy to be collected in the 2010 tax year. The dollar amount of the decrease under the actual levy amount from the previous year shall be \$53,581 which is a percentage decrease of 0.9958%. This decrease is the difference between the actual levy of \$5,380,695 and highest lawful levy of \$5,274,370, plus a one percent (1%) increase of \$52,744 from the previous year. This decrease is exclusive of additional revenue resulting from new construction, improvements to property, newly constructed wind turbines, any increase in the value of state assessed property, any annexations that have occurred and refunds made.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WENATCHEE, at a

regular meeting thereof, this 10th day of December, 2009.

CITY OF WENATCHEE, a Municipal Corporation

By:

DENNIS JOHNSON, Mayor

ATTEST:

Bv:

BRENDA GUSKE, Interim City Clerk

APPROVED:

By:

STEVE D. SMITH, City Attorney